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Serial No.	:	
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For: METHOD FOR DETECTING A ZERO-	:	
POINT ERROR OF A CORIOLIS	:	
GYROSCOPE AND CORIOLIS GYRO-	:	
SCOPE USING SAID METHOD	:	

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In accordance with the duty to disclose information material to the examination of this application as set forth in 37 CFR 1.56, copies of the following publications are cited (and submitted, where required):

- (1) European patent application EP 0 711 975 A2  
(5/5/96);
- (2) German provisional publication DE 100 49 462 A1  
(4/11/02);
- (3) German provisional publication DE 195 37 577 A1  
(4/11/96);
- (4) German provisional publication DE 199 10 415  
A1 (9/14/00);
- (5) German provisional publication DE 199 39 998

A1 (3/1/01); and

(6) German patent DE 697 11 823 T2 (6/17/98).

Documents "1" through "3" were cited in the International Search Report of February 5, 2004 in International publication WO 2004/038332 (of International patent application PCT/EP03/10971) dated May 6, 2004. The present application represents the U.S. National phase of the International application.

The same documents are cited in the International Preliminary Examination Report issued July 26, 2004 in PCT/EP03/10971. The International Preliminary Examination has yielded a positive indication with regard to novelty, inventive step and industrial applicability.

Each of documents "4" through "6" was cited by the German Patent Office examiner in an office action issued April 9, 2003 in German patent application 102 48 736.7 from which the present invention claims Convention priority (through International patent application PCT/EP03/10971). A Decision to Grant was issued in the German patent application on July 16, 2004.

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While the art is cited herein in accordance with the Applicants' duty of candor, none of such art, either alone or in combination with any other known prior art is believed to render the invention of the present application unpatentable.

Respectfully submitted,



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